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MEMORANDUM FOR: [redacted] Director,  
Office of Imagery Collection and Exploitation, ICS

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[redacted] CIA  
[redacted] NSA

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FROM: [redacted] DCI Representative,  
Interagency Group on International Communications  
and Information Policy

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SUBJECT: Direct Broadcast Satellites

1. The attached correspondence proposes certain governmental initiatives to determine the feasibility of using direct broadcast satellites for US Government-sponsored international broadcasting. The DDCI would like to take a specific position, for or against, with respect to the actions proposed by the Executive Secretary of the IG. [redacted]

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2. Please have the attached papers reviewed by the appropriate persons/elements within your organizations to ascertain the impact or implications, if any, of the proposed initiatives and the larger DBS program with respect to your agency's mission, programs and capabilities. A recommendation on the position to be adopted by the DCI regarding the actions proposed by the IG Executive Secretary is requested. [redacted]

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3. Please provide your inputs to me by COB 7 October. [redacted]

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